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FOR ARA- RYAN OR LEUERS FROM AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, ENRG, EIND, BL

SUBJECT: GULF OIL

REF: LA PAZ 3293

1. CARLOS DORADO, GULF REPRESENTATIVE LA PAZ, CALLED ON AMB AT 5:15 BRINGING TELEX WHICH READS AS FOLLOWS:
"GEORGE CONNELLY ARRIVING AROUND NOON MAY 15. HAS RESERVATIONS AT CRILLON HOTEL. DO NOT MEET DONNELLY AT AIRPORT OR HOTEL. HE WILL CONTACT YOU AFTER ARRIVAL. PLEASE SET APPOINTMENT FOR MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT FOR FRIDAY, 9:00AM."
(FROM WYCHE, CORAL CABLES.)

2. AS STATED IN REFTEL, GOB HAS TAKEN EXTREMELY STRONG POSITION AGAINST GULF OFFER TO SEND REPRESENTATIVE TO BOLIVIA TO TALK TO PRESIDENT BANZER. NUMEROUS STATEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE BY VARIOUS GOB OFFICIALS TO THE PRESS AS WELL AS TO AMB THAT SUCH A VISIT NOT ACCEPTABLE TO GOB.

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3. I STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT THE DEPARTMENT CONTACT RESPONSIBLE GULF OFFICIALS TO ADVISE AGAINST PROPOSED VISIT FOR DONNELLY. I BELIEVE THAT SUCH A VISIT WOULD DEFINITELY WORSEN SITUATION. DONNELLY IS ASSISTANT TO VICE PRESIDENT FOR GOVERNMENT RELATIONS IN GULF OIL CORPORATION OFFICE AT 1025 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, N.W., WASHINGTON, TELEPHONE: 202/659-8270. HIS HOME TELEPHONE IS: 301/871-6726. AS TELEX TO CARLOS DORADO CAME FROM CORAL CABLES, IT ENTIRELY POSSIBLE THAT DONNELLY ALREADY IN CORAL CABLES/ MIAMI AND MAY HAVE TO BE REACHED THERE.

4. FYI: I BELIEVE DEPARTMENT'S ACTION IS NECESSARY AS CARLOS DORADO BELIEVES HIS TELEXES HAVE BEEN IGNORED AND FURTHER TELEX HE INTENDS TO SEND IS ALSO LIKELY TO BE IGNORED.

END FYI.

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